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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Benoit REISS) Group Art Unit: 2875
Serial No.: 10/649,897) Examiner: Jason Han
Filed: August 26, 2003)
For: Combined Cargo lamp And Center High)
Mounted Stop lamp Assembly For Vehicles)

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated May 12, 2005, for which the shortened statutory period for response is set to expire three months after said date, please reconsider the above-entitled Application in view of the following amendment and remarks. A Petition under 37 CFR 1.136(a), extending the time for responding to the current Office Action for one month to September 12, 2005, accompanies this Amendment.